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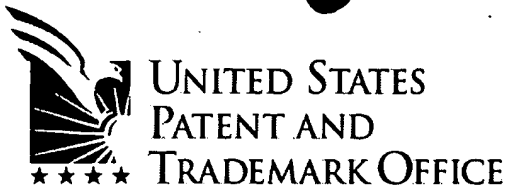
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RE: **Authorization of Corrections for A9 Publication**

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- 1) See attachments "Request for Corrected Patent Application" and "Pub. No.: US20020076425A1" to reference specific examples and descriptions for errors that are approved for correction and are listed below:

Reference: Attorney's Letter:

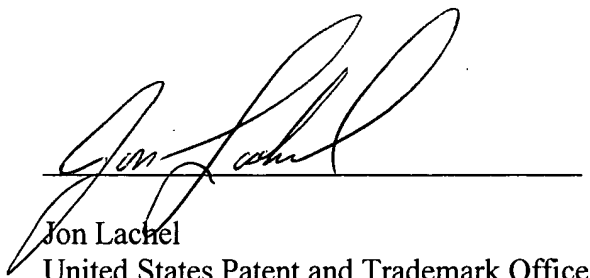
- A. 1) Paragraph No. [0069]
- B. 2) Paragraph No. [0169]
- C. 3) Paragraph No. [0192] and [0193]
- D. 4) Claim 5
- E. 5) Paragraph No. [0207]
- F. 6) Claim 32
- G. 7) Claim 75

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See Paragraphs [0069], [0169], [0192], [0193] and [0207].

See Claims 5, 32, and 75.



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